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In re application of:

Schweitzer et al.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Request under 37 C.F.R. 1.105 in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-1351.
- ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1351 (Order No. XACTP015). A copy of this sheet is enclosed for billing purposes.

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Response To Request under 37 C.F.R. 1.105

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Following is a list of information requested by the Examiner in Paper No: 12 (such information has been itemized by paragraph per Paper No: 12).

2. See information disclosure statement filed 6/12/01.
3. The Narus Business Infrastructure Platform. See Appendix A-D.
4. See Exhibit A with Appendices A-D. See also Appendix E and www.narus.com/solutions/cust.htm (Appendix F).
5. Applicant specifically claims the following elements that, in combination, afford an efficient way of reconstructing a session found nowhere in the prior art:

"a packet source, the packet source generating a plurality of packets;
a flow manager coupled to the packet source, the flow manager identifying at least one flow in the plurality of packets;
an application recognizer coupled to the flow manager, the application recognizer identifying an application corresponding to the at least one flow;
a session streamer coupled to the flow manager, the session streamer identifying a plurality of flows in the plurality of packets corresponding to the session based on the application."

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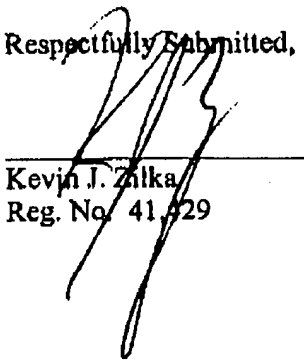
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In the event a telephone conversation would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner may reach the undersigned at (408) 505-5100. For payment of the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1351 (Order No. XACTP015). A duplicate copy of the transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

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